THE DOCTORS ARE LEAVING FOR

THIS EVENING AND TO-MORROW WILL BE THE LAST WE SHALL SEE OF THE VISITING PHYSICIANS FOR THIS TIME. A FINE LECTURE AND ELEGANT BANQUET WERE LAST NIGHT'S FEATURES.

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED THIS MORNING-DR. W. C. JAMISON IS FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT-CONVENTION MEETS NEXT YEAR IN WHEELING-VISITORS REPORT PLEAS-ANT STAY-GOOD WORDS FOR FAIRMONT.

to-day.

BALOON

EXPLODED, INJURING TWENTY

PERSONS-THE BALLOON

WAS FLAMING WHEN

IT FELL.

PARIS, May 12 .- Twenty persons

were injured by the falling of a flam-

ing balloon in the Avenue D'Aumesnil

It was an ordinary undirigible bal-

loon, and is said to have come from

the direction of Rambouillet. Several

aeronauts were aboard. The balloon

fell in the Rue Duord Robert, near

the Avenue D'Aumesnil. While try

ing to extricate himself, an aeronaut

who was caught beneath the balloon

by standing, he cut a portion of the

balloon, whch exploded, injuring thir

teen spectators badly. The seven oth-

ers injured were burned. The aeron-

TURNED DOWN

BY ALMOST UNANIMOUS VOTE

WAS THE PROPOSITION OF

THE MEMBERS OF EXECU-

TIVE COMMITTEE OF LAKE

CARRIERS ASSOCIA-

TION.

CLEVELAND, O., May 12 .- By al-

most a unanimous vote the members

of the Lake Lodges of the American

Association of Masters' and Pilots

made by the members of the execu-

Association in regard to wages. A

vote was taken on the question yester

trict Captain Paul Howell, of the

tance of the Lake Carriers' terms.

was held. The members of the com-

mttee will hold a conference this

taken by the masters and pilots or the

tie-up, and there is no telling how long

Smallpox at Martinsburg.

A special from Martinsburg an-

nounces an epidemic of smallpox at

that place. Seventeen have the dis-

ease, and a number have been exposed

to it. The authorities are doing all

in their power to check the conta-

gion. No deaths are reported as yet.

The Same Trick.

some time ago and escaped by jump-

Fred Ferrell, who was arrested here

very thing they would do.

Masters' and Pilots' l

morning.

it will last.

and beard from 19

ants were rescued.

Last evening Dr. S. L. Jepson of Wheeling, addressed a large and appreciative audience at the Normal Auditorium on the subject "Suicide." Nearly all the delegates to the Medical Association were present, and a large number of other people. Dr. Jepson stated his purpose as not to teach the people how to suicide, but show not to suicide.

He began with Sampson, who killed the temple in the year 1120, B. C. He then gave its history, including Mark Anthony and the voluptuous and beautiful Cleopatra, Judas Iscariot and on up to the present time, and proved to his auditors that no person who suicides is long missed by the public. He then took up the causes of spicide and ended by advising the people how to keep from it. Everybody present was well pleased, and all pronounced it a good lecture.

After the lecture the association went to Skinner's Tavern, where the banquet was held. Dr. I. N. Houston, of Moundsville, was made toastmaster, who is generally known to be a good one. Responses were made by Drs. Wilson, Churchman, Lilley, Ogden, Aschman, Cook and others.

A delectable supper was served and everybody present had a good time. All were well entertained and will long remember the hours spent together with Col. Williams as host.

This morning the meeting was continued in Willard Hall, and several papers were read, followed by discussions. The officers of the State organization for the coming year were elected. They are:

President-T. M. Hood, of Clarks-

Vice-Presidents-W. C. Jamison, of Fairmont; E. h. Parsons, of Piedmont, and A. A. Shawkey, of Charleston. Secretary-W. W. Golden, of El-

kins V. T. Churchman, Treasurer-

Charleston. Committees were appointed and the next meeting will be held at Wheel-

In the discussions the question of legislation came up, and a prominent lifty votes cast in favor of the accep-Democrat was willing to compromise on a physician as a candidate for governor, but Dr. McDonald, of Fairmont, reminded him that the Democrats were always ready to compro-

mise. The new president was installed and made an address, after which the association adjourned.

This afternoon they have made up a trolley party and are visiting the New England mines to see the miners

at work. This evening and to-morrow they

will leave for their homes. This has been a successful meeting, and we are glad to have them , with us. The meeting has been largely attended and all present have been benefited thereby. All the visitors have a good word to say about the way they have been entertained while here, and leave with a kind remembrance of our city and its physicians.

Sentenced to the Pen For One Year. Noah Sloane, the young man who entered the store of the Fairmont Coal Company recently at Watson, and who it will be remembered was captured by the elevator, was given a trial yesterday in the U. S. Court at Martinsburg, and adjudged guilty. Judge Jackson accordingly sentenced him to Monday. the penitentiary for a term of one

S. B. Hinerman, a prominent besiness man of Cameron, was in the city

CREATED EXCITEMENT ON JACK SON STREET-A GENTLE ROAST FOR "GENTLEMEN."

FAST DRIVING

Yesterday evening two ladies were driving down Jackson street at a fairly good rate of speed, and just at the Grand Opera House, two men behind a fast stepper overtook them. As is usually the case, the animal the ladies seven and eight o'clock a gun report relegation to "the also ran" class, and was standing near his home on Sixth to the best of his ability endeavored to street, was shot. He did not fail dead, get first money. As everyone knows, in fact he did not fall at all, but in an the next corner is one of the worst hour the report was spreading that in the city, and the spectators held he had been killed. Instead of dying their breath when the second buggy he started for the office of Dr. Holland, Port Arthur is cut off. The dispatch reached that point. The lady driving but seeing him on a passing car, he which is sent via CheeFoo and dated along any single line of mountain opwas doing her best to check the pace boarded the car and came over to May 12, follows: "Product is arrive erations or in any single valley, a and also to get the horse to take the Locust avenue route. But the men ham and Holland picked out one shot had turned up Barney street, still as fast as their horse could travel, and They were bird shot and it is supposthe second horse could not be swerved ed that some boys were shooting spar from that street. The lady, with rare presence of mind, let him have his way in the nick of time, and as it was The shot were just under the skin, wheels just grazed the curb.

It seems that if a man has any instincts of a gentleman such things would not happen. There is no excuse which the ladies were using had no top and anyone approaching from behind could see that the occupants were of the weaker sex.

WAS FIFTH WARD CITIZEN LAST NIGHT-CAUSED QUITE AN EXCITEMENT, BUT RESULT WAS NOT SERIOUS.

Excitement ran high for a while in the Fifth ward last night. Between were driving objected to this sudden was heard and Henry Pchinski, who Dr. Graham's office, where Drs. Grafrom his face and two from his leg from Feng Huang Cheng toward Hy only an incumbrance. The Japanese, rows when the shot hit Pchinski. He is a tailor, and works for Fred Kahrl. and outside of a little soreness he suffers no injury.

It is against the city's ordinance for any one to shoot in the city limits. for such conduct, as the runabout and if caught the guilty parties will be punished to the full extent of the law.

> Frank P. Zook, of Wheeling, is in the city to-day.

SULLY, THE COTTON KING, HAS A FRIEND.

ket if the New Yorker adheres to the Sully.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 12.-J. M. plan. Hauz said he had recently held Hauz, of Jasper, Ala., a cotton buyer, a conference with cotton buyers from about to hurt their first army upon He has calculated supplies for 200,000 is at work on a plan in behalf of the Texas, Tennessee, Louisiana, Georgia the Lio Yang is contrary to all probmen at Liao Yang and Mukden and Southern cotton buyers and planters, and Alabama, who are familiar with abilities. The Japanese have told he must either defend, destroy or by which he hopes again to place Dan- conditions, and all agree that the much of their plans on the peninsula abandon them. He holds, or could iel J. Sully, of New York, on his feet, amount can be raised. They say that so that he can bull the cottom market the farmers believe that the bull next fall. The plan contemplates a clique of which Sully was the head, side of Taku Shan or of the move simultaneous columns which are subscription of \$1,000,000 by collect was the means of getting for them ments along General Kuroki's right ending their lengths along all the ing ten cents from the farmers for from \$10 to \$25 more per bale than each bale of cotton they figure on they had received for years, and that news of the situation or the intention east, and it must be clear to him that raising this season. This fund is to they will gladly contribute to the fund. be used by Sully in bulling the mar- The promoter is waiting to hear from

have turned down the proposition FOR THE LOVE OF A WOMAN, WROTE A MAN AND TACKED A CARD ON A TREE NEAR tive committee of the Lake Carriers' THE O'DONNELL MINES.

day, and at 10 o'clock last night Dis. THERE IS SOME MYSTERY ABOUT THE AFFAIR, BUT IT MAY ALL BE A JOKE.

of the 26 harbors. Captain Howell Sunday afternoon while taking a said that he did not care to make known the vote of the different harcardboard tacked to a tree near the borns, but stated that out of a membership of 3,100 there would be but the East side of the river, near this forced to retire after twenty-four city. He brought the card to a po- hours fighting. The Brazilians lost President Livingston, of the Lake liceman and it has come into our Carriers, was in Detroit yesterday and hands. The following is what was no meeting of the executive committes written on the card:

"May 1st, 1904. "You will find my remains in these woods somewhere above. Tired of life unless there is a shift in the stand for the love of Katy Casemore.

-. "H. DAVIS, (Signed) "402 Fairmont avenue."

Lake Carriers' there will be a general The first initial cannot be made out owing to the nail driven through it. It looks like "J" or "W." We have The officials of the Lake Carriers have announced the proposition to found no one who knows Davis, but the masters and pilots that it was the some people know the woman. Upon investigation we find 402 Fairmont avenue to be a vacant lot, and no Davis near.

No one has been found in the woods and no one is reported lost, so we give the story no credence. It may be that some man is foolish enough to end his miserable days, but we believe the note to have been placed inate Col. A. A. Franzheim, former there as a joke, or perhaps there is a sheriff of Ohio county, for Secretary. man by this name who thought to of State on the Democratic ticket. make the woman love him more.

Looking For Officers.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 12.-W. T. Holly, traveling passenger agent of the Union Pacific and the Oregon Railroad Navigation Company, which has a line of ships between San Francisco and Hong Kong, was in Louis- is willing he will find strong backville Wednesday to confer with the W. A. Crowl, of the Fifth ward, was local recruiting officer, who is securcalled to Mannington this morning ing officers for the Chinese army. Holon account of the serious illness of his ly is seeking the contract to convey wife, who is in that vicinity visiting. the men to China.

HAS BEGUN BETWEEN BRAZIL IANS AND PERUVIANS OVER BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Special cable dispatches to the Herald from Rio De Janeiro, Brazil, show that fighting has begun between Brazilians and Peruvians over the boundary dispute. The battle occurred in the walk J. E. Walker found a piece of upper Purns Valley. Colonel Arnjo, wice two hundred men attacked the opening of the O'Donnell mines, on Peruvians at Santa Rosa, but was many men killed and wounded.

Diplomatic negotiations are still progressing for the settlement of the dispute. Brazil is disposed to submit the matter to arbitration.

tary of State Convention on the Democratic Ticket.

Parkersburg, W. Va., May 11 .-A movement is on foot among prominent Democratic politicians to nom-The Franzheim boomers believe Col. Franzheim would be very acceptable to all elements of the party and would add strength to the ticket, especially in the Northern Panhandle. It is not known whether, he would make the race, but if he lin this morning on a special train. ing in the party.

N. C. Cochran and daughter Miss Nellie, went to Pittsburg to-day to attend the funeral of G. A. Vockrodt.

TROOPS HEADED **JAPANESE**

PRODUCTS IN GREAT QUANTITIES ARE ARRIVING FROM UP THE RIVER-PERFECT ORDER PREVAILS AND NO FIGHTING IS ANTICIPATED IN THE VICINITY OF NEW CHWANG.

A MILITARY EXPERT SAYS THE JAPANESE ARE DEPLOYING ON A WIDE FRONT ALONG A GENERAL LINE RUNNING NORTHEAST AND SOUTHWEST - SUPPLIES FOR 200,000 MEN MUST BE DEFENDED.

LONDON, May 12 .- A dispatch re- while they are separated in the mounceived by Lloyds from their new Chwang correspondent states that ing in great quantities from up the great number cannot be deployed and river. Japanese troops are marching brought into action and are therefore

der prevails at New Chwang.

ing in this vicinity. Great credit is about way and attack the Russian due General Kondratorich, and Civil flanks. Administrator Etzel."

available at Lio Yang is very much vithout loss. stronger than General Kuriko's comarmy. Judging, however, from the pollindeed. sition of the first army as disclosed by bining their action with the opera- ammunition to Port Arthur. tions so far disclosed.

the Russian positions.

is to be thrown upon the right, left vestment of Port Arthur must now or centre, there is nothing to show, have been accomplished unless the ery movement by the Japanese right progress by a successful sortie. is strategically the move dangerous for the Russians.

hope to unite his force and retrieve now pay more attention to defending the disaster on the Pala by a blow the positions which they have occustruck at one of the Japanese columns pled.

tains, but simple theory is oftentimes hard practice.

"An army exceeding a strength of 60,000 cannot be usefully employed even if attacked by the superior Rus-"Port Arthur is cut off. Perfect or sian forces can likely resist any direct assault. The Japanese will be "I do not anticipate trouble or fight in a position to advance in a round-

The hasty Russian retreat from LONDON, May 12 .- The Military New Chwang makes it probable that Expert of the London Times says: General Kuropatkin fears for his left The reports of the Russian staff flank and does not intend to run any seems to show that the Japanese are risk of being cut off. Thus, the movedeploying on a wide front along a gen- ment of the first Japanese army has eral line, running northeast and south maneuvered him out of an important through Feng-Huang-Cheng, position, and the Japanese can now Considering the Russian field army occupy New Chwang if they so desire

General Kuropatkin's position is not mand, and that the Russian strength to be envied. His front is parallel and position is very well known to the with-his line and every day will make Japanese, the idea that the latter are him more alive to the disadvantage. up to a certain point, but have wisely nold a concentrated position, but said nothing of their intentions on the there his advantage ends and these flank and we are still without definite mountain passes in the south and of the greater part of the Japanese the enemy is making a very big coup

"In the Liao Yang Peninsula, the the Russian reports, we are bound to Russians have been very strategic in assume that this is no isolated move- supporting damage to railways and ment and that other troops are com- contriving to bring a train load of

Nevertheless the Japanese advance The general idea seems to be the upon the fortress continued along the deployment on a very broad front fol- eastern shore, covered by warships of lowed by an advance along the paral- the shore, and two regiments, formeled roads or tracks on the hills upon ing the head of their advancing column, passed Chillp station Monday Whether the weight of this attack night going toward Dalny. The inand the only thing certain is that ev- garrison has been able to stay the

The inner roads by the Cossacks in Northern Korea can be accomplished, General Kuropatkin may properly but it is likely that the Japanese will

GREINER

Will Be Here to Participate In Production of the "Ranch King."

Phil S. Greiner telegraphed the local Aerie of Eagles that he would be here o participate in the production of the Ranch King," and will, of course, resent some of his clever specialties. Phil's addition to the cast is just been trying to arrange. Greiner, Watson, Goodwin, Fisher and Fleming are certainly clever people, which can also be said about the twelve or fifteen other people in the cast.

Preliminary Trial.

HUNTINGTON W. Va., May 12.-The preliminary trial of Thomas Owens is in progress at Hamlin today. Owens, after turning out the lights on a Guyan Valley passenger train, it is alleged, shot detective Robert Crockett to death. He was later captured in the mountains and brought here for safe keeping under heavy guard. He was taken to Ham-

Case Compromised. The board bill case against the Barnsville man was compromised in the defendant Judge Amos' court agreeing to pay the vill.

MRS. POWE

WAS SENTENCED TO LIFE IM-PRISONMENT THIS MORNING.

DOVER, Del., May 12.-Attorney Ridgely to-day withdrew the motion for a new trial in the case of Mrs. what the committee in charge have Mary A. Powell, recently convicted of the murder of her adopted daughter, Elsie Albin. This action was taken at the request of the woman, She was then sentenced to life imprisonment.

> A number of young people spent the morning down the river in rowboats.

> Dr. W. B. Rodgers, of Clarksburg, John M. Carle, of Wheeling, and C. F. Rou, of Morgantown, are some of the out-of-town people at the Tavern to day.

L. A. Thompson, of Grafton, is in town to-day.

C. F. Lucas, of Shinaston, is in

ing from a rear window in the mayor's office, escaped in the same manner from the court-room at Weston Mrs Crowl III.